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For:	CATALYST SUPPORT SUBSTRATE, METHOD FOR GROWING CARBONE NANOTUBES USING THE SAME, AND TRANSISTOR USINGCARBON NANOTUBES	Dated:	August 8, 2008

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

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Pursuant to the Restriction Requirement imposed in the Official Action dated July 10, 2008, applicant provisionally elects the claims of Group I, i.e., Claims 1-8, and 20 to 34 for continued prosecution herein.

Claims 1-34 are present in the above-captioned application and have been subjected to restriction under 35 U.S.C. § §121 and 372. Specifically, the Official Action avers that the following inventions are present in the claims:

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